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SUBJ: OVERFLIGHT/LANDING CLEARANCE FOR SOUTHERN
AIR TRANSPORT

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1. COMMERCIAL CABLE OF SOUTHERN AIR TRANSPORT TO EMBASSY REQUESTING FLIGHT CLEARANCE RECEIVED CONCURRENTLY WITH REFTEL, AND NEITHER PHILIPPINE AIR FORCE NOR DEPARTMENT FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAD PRIOR NOTIFICATION THROUGH OTHER MEANS OF INTENDED FLIGHT. AIR FORCE NOT ABLE TO PROVIDE WRITTEN CLEARANCE, WHICH HAS BEEN REQUIRED SINCE MARTIAL LAW, IN REMAINING TIME BEFORE PLANE WILL LAND IN MANILA, BUT AIR FORCE HAS BEEN GIVEN FULL INFORMATION ON FLIGHT, HAS OFFERED NO OBJECTION, AND HAS STATED ORALLY THAT FORMAL WRITTEN APPROVAL WILL BE FORTHCOMING.

2. MINIMUM ONE WEEK NORMALLY REQUIRED FOR CLEARANCE. PRESUME SOUTHERN AIR TRANSPORT ALSO AWARE THAT OFFLOADING OR ONLOADING OF CARGO REQUIRES, IN ADDITION ADVANCE PERMIT FROM CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD. EMBASSY ASSUMES NO CARGO HANDLING ENVISAGED.

3. SOUTHERN AIR TRANSPORT REQUEST APPARENTLY NOT INITIATED UNTIL AFTER AIRCRAFT DEPARTURE. IN ADDITION TO PROBLEMS WHICH THIS PRESENTS WITH RESPECT OBTAINING PHILIPPINE CLEARANCE, IT ALSO PRECLUDES EMBASSY FROM NOTIFYING AIRCRAFT, AS NO ENROUTE CONTACT POINTS PROVIDED BY COMPANY. DEPARTMENT MAY WISH NOTIFY MIAMI OFFICE OF SOUTHERN OF FOREGOING,
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POINTING OUT IN ADDITION THAT FAILURE TO OBTAIN CLEARANCE IN

ADVANCE ORDINARILY WOULD SUBJECT AN AIRCRAFT TO DELAY BEFORE
AIR FORCE WOULD GRANT AUTHORIZATION TO DEPART.
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